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[THE PHILIPPINES.]

PEN VS. SWORD

Newspaper Men Want More Scope.

Censorship in the Philippines Irksome to Them.

Campaign not Satisfactory to the Correspondents.

Gen. Otis Reports Recent Deaths at Manila—Two Battalions of the Nineteenth Infantry Bound West en Route to Manila.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MANILA, July 11, via Hongkong, July 17.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The constantly-increasing strictness of the censorship of press dispatches from Manila, which has prevented the cabling to the United States of anything that did not reflect official views of important events and conditions, resulted in united effort on the part of the correspondents here to secure an abatement of the rigor of the censorship. The initiative in this direction was taken a month ago, and resulted in the framing of a statement which was presented Sunday, July 9, to Maj.-Gen. Otis, commanding the military forces of the United States in the Philippines, with a request for permission to telegraph it to the United States. The correspondents also asked for permission to cable their respective papers all the facts and different phases of events as they transpired here.

The correspondents had two long interviews with Gen. Otis, in the course of which they claimed that the evident purpose of the censorship was not to keep information from the enemy, but to keep from the public a knowledge of the real condition of affairs here. It was also asserted by the correspondents that newspapers printed in Manila, which reach the army weekly, are permitted to publish statements similar to those which correspondents are forbidden to cable.

It was made clear to Gen. Otis that the objection was to the system, and not to the censor.

Gen. Otis finally promised greater liberality, agreeing to pass all matter that he might consider not detrimental to the interest of the United States. Gen. Otis appointed Capt. Green of his staff censor. The statement of the correspondents is as follows:

"The undersigned, being all staff correspondents of American newspapers stationed in Manila, unite in the following statement:

"We believe that from official dispatches made public Washington, the people of the United States have not received a correct impression of the situation in the Philippines, but that these dispatches have presented an ultra-optimistic view that is not shared by the general officers in the field. We believe that the dispatches incorrectly represent the existing conditions among the Filipinos in respect to dissension and demoralization resulting from the American campaign and to the brigand character of their army."

"We believe the dispatches err in the declaration 'that the situation is well in hand,' and the assumption that the insurrection can be speedily ended without a greatly-increased force. We think the tenacity of the Filipino purpose has been underestimated, and that the statements are unfounded that volunteers are willing to engage in further service."

"The censorship has compelled us to participate in this misrepresentation by excising or altering uncontroversial statements of facts on the plea, as Gen. Otis stated, 'that they would alarm the people at home' or 'have the people of the United States by the ears.'

"Specifications: Prohibition of hospital reports; suppression of full reports of field operations in the event of failure; numbers of heat prostrations in the field; systematic minimization of naval operations, and suppression of complete reports of the situation.

(Signed.) JOHN T. MCCUTCHEON,
HARRY ARMSTRONG,
OSCAR K. DAVIS,
P. G. M'DONNELL,
ROBERT M. COLLINS,
JOHN P. DUNNING,
L. JONES,
The Associated Press,
JOHN F. BASS,
WILL DINWIDDIE,
New York Herald,
ED. S. KEENE,
Scripps-McRae Association,
RICHARD LITTLE,
Chicago Tribune."

GEN. CORBIN'S ANSWER.

All News Which Will not Aid the Enemy is Disclosed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, July 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Regarding statements

made that cable dispatches received in Washington and other news

regarding the war had been censored

contrary to the usual custom, Adj't.

Gen. Corbin said:

"His competency or incompetency is a matter not to be settled by the mere assertions of his critics, but must be determined by his acts, for which, I have no doubt, he is willing to stand or fall. I think his military administration thus far will bear the test of examination, and I hope it will be found that he has done his duty well."

"His administration has proved it-

self wise and effective, as could fairly be expected under the difficult circumstances surrounding him. He

must have time. It is not an evidence of failure because the rebellion has not been suppressed in a single short cam-

paign."

"Was Gen. Otis oversanguine as to

the conditions in the Philippines? Is he

incompetent, as the dispatches say he is?"

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**(SPORTING RECORD.)
SHOW THEIR PACES.**

**YALE AND HARVARD MEN
LIMBERING UP.**

**Quinlan and Dupee Chosen to
represent the Two Colleges in the
Hundred-Yard Dash Next
Saturday.**

**Hallowell Beats Fincle Over the
Hurdles and Will Probably Be
Fox's Running Mate the
Same Day.**

**Cricket Between English and Australia—Capt. Andrews Found De-
filious—Detroit's Blue Ribbon
Races—Eastern Ball Games.**

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
LONDON, July 17.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The members of the athletic teams representing Yale and Harvard were at practice this morning at the Queen's Club. Harrington of Harvard and Morse of Yale tried the long jump; Fox of Harvard went over the hurdles and Palmer of Yale and Foote of Harvard and Clarke of Harvard ran three miles.**

During the afternoon, there were a number of contests with a view to the selection of the final team for the 100-yard dash. Quinlan of Harvard, Dupee of Yale, Blount of Yale and Roche of Harvard finished in the order named: time 0:10.1-5. Quinlan and Dupee were selected to run in the dash July 22.

A quarter mile, run by Fisher and Boardman of Yale, was won by Boardman by two yards; time 0:50.4-5.

In the hurdles, 120 yards Hallowell of Harvard beat Fincle of Yale by a yard; time 0:16. Although the question has not been finally decided, probably Hallowell will be Fox's partner in the running next Saturday.

LONG RACE ENDED.

Three Vessels Run from Hawaiian Islands to Philadelphia.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
PHILADELPHIA, July 17.—A race of 15,000 miles for a prize of \$1000 terminated at the Delaware Breakwater yesterday, on the arrival of the ships I. C. Chapman and W. F. Babcock, and the bark St. Catherine, from the Hawaiian Islands. All three are American-built and American-owned vessels and are commanded by American skippers. It was while the vessels were taking cargoes of sugar that their masters arranged the race. Allowance was made for the difference in the time required to sail the vessels, but notwithstanding over two weeks elapsed between the dispatch of the first vessel, the Babcock, and the last, the St. Catherine, all three vessels arrived within a few hours of each other, with the St. Catherine a winner.**

The Babcock, Capt. Colley, left Honolulu, March 10. The Chapman followed from the same port a week later, and the St. Catherine squared her sails from Hilo, a port several miles from Honolulu, March 22. It was after Cape Horn had been rounded that the St. Catherine came up with her competitors, the Chapman having caught the Babcock while both were in the Pacific. With the three vessels close together, the race began in earnest. The St. Catherine steadily holding the lead. After being becalmed for a week near the equator the race once more began the staunch bark, still showing the way until the Delaware captain reached and the rattle of her anchor chains brought the contest to an end. The others came in a few hours later and cast anchor about the same time. The Chapman is commanded by Capt. Thompson and the bark by Capt. Matthews.

EASTERN BASEBALL.

**Cleveland Takes One Game, but the
Orioles Get the Other.**

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
BALTIMORE, July 17.—The Cleve-
lands won the first game by better
all-around work, with Hughes' ex-
cellent pitching. The second game
was easy for the Orioles. The at-
tendance was 1500. Score, first game:
Baltimore, 2; hits, 7; errors, 5.
Cleveland, 7; hits, 12; errors, 1.
Batteries—Nops and Kitson and
Gresham; Hughes and Schreckengost.
Second game: Baltimore, 21; hits,
24; errors, 3.
Cleveland, 6; hits, 12; errors, 7.
Batteries—Howe and Robinson;
Bates, Schmidt and Schreckengost.**

PHILADELPHIA-CINCINNATI.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
PHILADELPHIA, July 17.—The
Phillies won an exciting eleven-inning
game today. The attendance was 2100.**

Score:

Cincinnati, 2; hits, 8; errors, 1.
Philadelphia, 2; hits, 9; errors, 2.
Batteries—Philips and Wood; Dona-
hue and McFarland.

Umpires—Mannassan and Smith.

BROOKLYN-CHICAGO.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
NEW YORK, July 17.—Brooklyn
made it three straight today by better
all-around playing. Hughes was ef-
fective in all but two innings. The
attendance was 2600. Score:**

Chicago, 4; hits, 8; errors, 2.
Brooklyn, 7; hits, 13; errors, 1.
Batteries—Garvin and Donahue;
Hughes and McGuire.

Umpires—Swartwood and Hunt.

BOSTON-PITTSBURGH.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, July 17.—Washing-
ton's third straight game from
Pittsburgh today through the wildness
of Sparks and the magnificent fielding
of Hamilton. Score:**

Boston, 4; hits, 8; errors, 2.
Pittsburgh, 5; base hits, 12; errors, 3.
Batteries—Lewis and Clarke; Sparks
and Hoffer and Bowerman.

Umpires—Emslie and McDonald.

POSTPONED GAME.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, July 17.—Washing-
ton-Louisville game was postponed on
account of rain.**

WESTERN TENNIS WINNERS.

**Hackett and Allen Defeat Meyers
and Wardner at Chicago.**

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
CHICAGO, July 17.—Hackett and
Allen today won the right to hold the
western tennis champions, in doubles,
and to represent the West in the
national championship at Newport. They
defeated Meyers and Wardner for
the honor in an exciting contest. The
latter team put up a strong fight,
and although Hackett and Allen won
straight sets, they were compelled
to work hard. In the semi-finals in
singles Allen defeated Neil, and
Hackett went down before the old
western champion, Carr Neel, who
played in great form today. He beat
Hackett, without the slightest diffi-**

**culity. Neal and Allen will meet in
the finals tomorrow.**

**Finals in doubles: Hackett, 6-2,
Allen beat Meyers and Wardner, 6-2,**

6-2-6.

**Semi-finals in singles: Allen beat
Sam Neel, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.**

Carr Neel beat Hackett, 6-1, 6-2.

TWO CONEY ISLAND FLIGHTS.

[NEW YORK, July 17.—At the Coney Island Sporting Club tonight Martin McCue of New York and from George Stevens of New Orleans made foul.

McCue had the better of it from the start. Jack Downey of Brooklyn got the decision over Jerome Quigley of Philadelphia in the eleventh round. Quigley was almost helpless and the referee stopped the bout.

BLUE-RIBBON RACES.

DOWPOUR OF RAIN CAUSES POSTPONEMENT OF DETROIT SPORT.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
DETROIT, July 17.—A five-minute
downpour of rain spoiled the afternoon's sport at today's annual opening of the Blue Ribbon races. The down-
pour occurred just as the horses were
scoring for a start in the 2:09 pace. The crowd waited an hour and a half, and then the announcement came that the day's programme was postponed until tomorrow.**

CAPT. ANDREWS'S EXPERIENCE.

**He Evidently Had Suffered Much
Alone on the Atlantic.**

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
LIVERPOOL, July 17.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The steamer Holbein, which arrived in port yesterday, having on board Capt. William M. Andrews, who set out from Atlantic City, N. J., June 18, to cross the ocean in a dory twelve feet in length, reports that when off the banks of Newfoundland, the watch noticed Andrews's boat. The sea was rough and some difficulty was experienced in getting Andrews aboard.**

ROANOKE'S RICHNESS.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
SEATTLE (Wash.) July 17.—Frank A. Vanderlip, assistant Secretary of the Treasury, returned today from a month's trip through the West on business connected with the government mints and assay offices. He says that what appears to be a conservative estimate of the amount of gold which will come out of the Klondike this summer is \$18,000,000, a large proportion of which, he adds, will go through the government assay office at Seattle.**

**LOT A2
\$8.50 Men's Suits**

**Single breasted
sacks, fancy
cheviots.....**

**LOT A1
\$6.00 Men's Suits**

**Good cheviot,
neat
patterns.....**

\$3.32

**LOT A4
\$12.50 Men's Suits.**

**Cheviots, cassimeres,
worsteds and serges,
every modern style.....**

**LOT A3
\$10.00 Men's Suits**

**Round and square-cut
cheviots, cassimeres
and worsteds.....**

\$7.73

**LOT A6
\$17.50 Men's Suits**

**Frocks and sacks, round or square
cut sacks, serges,
cheviots, cassimeres.....**

**LOT A5
\$15.00 Men's Suits**

**Single and double-breasted
sacks and coats,
cheviots and
worsteds.....**

\$11.77

**LOT K4
\$4.50 Serge Coats.**

**All wool blue
serge, double
breasted.....**

**LOT A7
\$20.00 Men's Suits**

**Frocks and single or double-breast-
ed sacks in serge,
worsteds, cas-
simeres.....**

\$16.18

**LOT K1
\$1.25 Men's Pants**

**Linen crash
pants; all
sizes.....**

**LOT K2
\$1.50 Men's Pants**

**White duck
pants, all
sizes.....**

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**LOT F1
\$2.00 Men's Pants**

**Neat stripes
and mixtures.....**

**LOT F3
\$3.50 Men's Pants**

**Herring boué, cheviot
and cassimeres.....**

\$2.31

DEATH, NOT GOLD.

**[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]
KOTZEBUE SOUND IS SAID TO BE BARREN—SCURVY, DISEASE AND DISASTER.**

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
HEALY (St. Michael Island.) July 17.—A country full as barren of gold as the Koyukuk. Kotzebue Sound.**

During the past year and a half thousands of prospectors have come here from Alaska and have fully prospected the Kowak and other streams which were supposed to carry gold in large quantities, but which, upon trial, have proven to be without wealth.

W. P. Stanley, who has just reached here, says that during his stay in Kotzebue several people died of scurvy; five men, four of whom were the names of Howard, Graham, Miller and Marsh, who were lost in the hills while prospecting. A man by the name of Ondertour, whose brother is a well-known contractor of Chicago, died of throat trouble. Three men, whose names Stanley could not remember, froze to death, one fell from a cliff and another accidentally shot himself.

STEAMER LAURADA.

**DIVERSE Reports as to How Much
Gold Her Passengers Have.**

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
SEATTLE, July 17.—The steamer Laurada arrived today from St. Michaels with between 300 and 400 passengers. Among them were fifteen discharged soldiers from Rampart City. No big amounts of gold dust were carried on the steamer. Some claim there is about \$500,000 scattered among the passengers, while others say most of them return empty-handed.**

The third officer of the steamer, George, fell overboard this morning. His leg was cut off by the propeller blade.

CAPE NOME STORIES.

**[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
SEATTLE, July 17.—The news brought from Cape Nome is varied and conflicting. One or two men give glowing accounts, while many of the miners from Dawson, who had spent two or three weeks at St. Michaels, say they are convinced the reports of rich finds are exaggerated. Some go so far as to pronounce it a transportation failure.**

S. G. Simpeon of this city says he learned at St. Michaels that the miners of the Cape Nome country were washing out as high as \$500 a day.

A. E. McRaedy of Colorado said:

"It is my opinion that Cape Nome is a

James Nolan of Winona, Minn., says: "A friend of mine, who is thoroughly reliable, tells me there is absolutely no gold being taken out, and no work is being done on claims."

St. Michaels is at present a harbor

for hundreds of poor unfortunate

men who have drifted down the Yukon River with nothing with which to live on.

James E. Kelley, a passenger on the

Laurada, estimates that there are

from two hundred to three hundred

strange prospectors who do not know

where their next meal is coming from

and the steamship companies can

obtain any number of men for any

kind of work who are willing to go

into the hold in order to work their

passage down. This state of affairs

is likely to continue all summer.

A general average of the estimates

of the amount of gold dust on the

Laurada is \$250,000.

DISAPPOINTED GOLD-SEEKERS.

**Fourteen Bostonians Lose Their Ship
and Get Scurvy.**

**[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]
SEATTLE, July 17.—The schooner**

Gen. Sieglin, which arrived here last

night from Cook Inlet, Alaska, had

among her passengers fourteen mem-

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tions of the newspaper correspondents in the Philippines that the commanding general, through his censor, aimed to keep the country in the dark concerning the facts, and that he has shown jealousy of Gen. Lawton?"

"Before just judgment upon the allegations to which you refer can be made up, Maj.-Gen. Otis himself must be heard from. I know nothing myself relative to the allegations and saw nothing of that sort during my service in Luzon."

"After talking with the President, what do you think of Bryan's insinuation that American expansion in the Philippines necessarily entails an Anglo-Saxon alliance?"

"Anglo-Saxon alliance appears to be a bugaboo to a class of politicians in this country of which Bryan is a representative. Were there any present need of an Anglo-Saxon alliance, the United States and England could well afford to enter upon such alliance without the permission of any other nation on earth, but as the case stands, this country is sufficient unto itself in matters of military power and political influence, and the administration of President McKinley is an American administration, strong enough, when backed up by the country, as I believe it is, to carry out an American policy and protect American interests in the Orient, where our soldiers are valiantly fighting to enforce American authority and uphold the American flag."

RECENT DEATHS.

Dysentery, Typhoid, Wounds and Drowning, the Causes Thereof.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The War Department has received the following from Gen. Otis:

"MANILA, July 16.—Adjutant-General, Washington: Following deaths have occurred since last report:

"Dysentery—July 8, James J. Higgins, corporal Thirteenth Regiment Infantry, Co. H; George W. Warrington, Co. I, First Colorado; Ernest E. Weidroff, Third Regiment; July 13, Ludwig P. Mohlin, Co. B, Twelfth Regiment; July 14, Harry J. Reisig, Co. M, First Colorado.

"Drowned, accidental—June 24 Michael Sullivan, Co. M, Ninth Infantry; July 4, George J. Wilson, Co. —, Sixth Regiment.

"Death from typhoid fever—July 7, August Nolte, Co. A, Fourth Regiment; nephritis, John Quinlan, sergeant band, Eighteenth Infantry; hemiplegia, July 13, William Hodge, Co. C, Fourteenth Infantry.

"From wounds in action—June 28, Frank A. Duval, Co. F, First Colorado, death occurred on relief, Nagasaki."

"Yours respectfully,

(Signed) NELSON A. MILES.

"Major-General Commanding."

The troops designated in the above communication numbered 15,452 men, who was over 10,000 more than Admiral Dewey had asked for, but notwithstanding, it was Gen. Miles' opinion that, in view of the admiral's statement that the Spanish force was estimated at 10,000 men, it would be advisable for us to have a preponderating force.

In the mean time Gen. Merritt had been selected to command the expedition for the Philippines, and in a letter to the President, dated May 18, 1898, he submitted an estimate of troops necessary to constitute such an expedition, comprising 14,400 men, of which number 6000 were regulars. May he supplemented this by an estimate for a siege battery and a small ordnance department.

Gen. Miles had not seen Gen. Merritt's estimate when he wrote the letter of May 16, given above. This letter was referred to Gen. Merritt for remarks, and was received back with the following endorsement:

"HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
East Governor's Island, May 17, 1898.

"Two regiments of regular infantry, two-thirds of a regiment of regular cavalry, and two light batteries is a very small proportion of the forty-two regular regiments of the army when the work to be done consists of conquering a territory 7000 miles from our base, defended by a regularly-trained and acclimated army of from 10,000 to 25,000 men, and inhabited by 14,000,000 of people, the majority of whom are in regard to the intense hatred of the race and religion.

"Besides, if I am not greatly mistaken, the suggested command is only on paper, as the Fourteenth Infantry is only partially available. My letters of May 13 and 15 give the composition and minimum strength of the regular force I desire needed."

(Signed) "W. MERRITT,"

"Major-General Commanding."

It was then referred to Gen. Miles for further remarks, and was endorsed by him as follows:

"HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
Washington, D. C., May 18, 1898.

"Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of War: The references to the Spanish troops is believed to be very much exaggerated. No reports have been received thus far that there is anything like the numbers stated in the above endorsement, while the population of that territory is probably nearer one-half the number stated.

The number of troops already ordered to the Philippine Islands is three times as many as Admiral Dewey called for.

The force originally intended was not expected to carry on a war to conquer an extensive territory, and the chief object of the within letter was to suggest a means of quickly establishing a strong garrison to command the harbor of Manila, and to relieve the United States fleet under Admiral Dewey with the least possible delay. The force in judgment is of prominent prominence.

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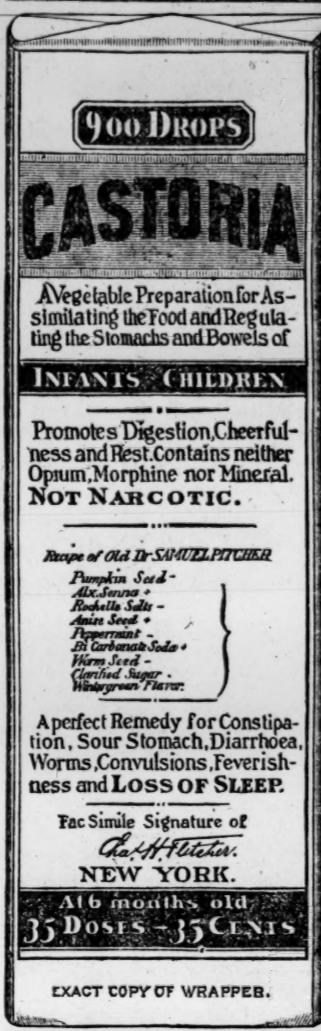
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(Harvard University.)

she always uses the "sir" when addressing her precisely, "Sir, I'm lord and master—"oh, sir! Never mind jewels. I don't like to hear them spoken of. Jewels for Jane Eyre sounds unnatural and strange. I would rather not have them."

"I tell myself," says the diamond chain round Rochester, "that the circle of your friends which it will become; for nature, at least, has stamped her patent of nobility on this broad, Jane, and I will clasp the bracelets on these fine wrists and load these fairylike fingers with rings."

Charlotte Bronte's novels unite in exceptional degree an almost lyric intensity and fervor of mood and imagination with sanity of thought and ingenuity and sureness in execution. One is sometimes tempted to describe her peculiar power as the result of her refusal to be victimized by a morbid temperament and a supernaturally vivid romantic imagination. By nature and environment she seemed doomed to write a companion novel to "Wuthering Heights" or "The Tenant of Wildfell Hall"—romances of occasional beauty and power, but wildly erratic and fantastically overcharged with emotion. Yet in point of fact, despite her constitutional "lack of hope," despite her home between an overpopulous graveyard and the dreary vastness of the interminable Yorkshire moors, despite her lonely life and her uncanny surroundings, Charlotte Bronte wrote "Shirley," a novel breathing courage and hope and essentially loyal to the common interests and the normal values of life. "Jane Eyre," though more overwrought in mood and extravagant in incident, shows the same fine self-control as "Shirley" in style and execution, and "Villette" is even more so. In "Villette" the author is often writing to the reader, as she seems aiming to make up for waning imagination through recourse to conscious rhetoric.

Charlotte Bronte published four novels during her lifetime—"Jane Eyre," in 1847; "Shirley," in 1849, and "Villette," in 1853; a fourth novel, "Professor," was published in 1857, two years after her death. This fourth novel may now be pretty nearly neglected. Though published last, it was the earliest written, and much of its material was used more skillfully in "Villette." It deals with the love of

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, July 17.—Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official. At 5 o'clock a.m., the barometer registered 29.83; at 5 p.m., 29.89. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 54 deg. and 70 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 100 per cent; 5 p.m., 70 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., west velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 1 mile. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum temperature, 53 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles 54 San Francisco 50 San Diego 62 Portland 60

Weather Conditions.—The pressure remains highest on the North Pacific Slope, accompanied by clear weather. It is lowest in Arizona and in Southeastern California. It is generally cloudy on the California coast and clear in the interior valleys, with quite high morning temperatures. Showers have fallen in the mountains and in Western Texas.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy tonight, becoming clear by Tuesday noon.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Weather conditions and general forecast: The following maximum temperatures were reported from stations in California today:

Eureka 85 San Diego 68 Fresno 108 Sacramento 88 Los Angeles 76 Independence 96 Red Bluff 101 Yuma 104 San Luis Obispo 66

San Francisco date: Maximum temperature, 66 deg.; minimum, 46 deg.; mean, 57 deg.

The pressure has risen generally over the Pacific Coast. The usual summer low pressure overles Arizona and Southeastern California. There are evidences of a disturbance over Northern New Mexico and rain is falling.

Forecast for Southern California: The pressure has risen over the greater portion of the country east of the Sierras. In the great valleys of California temperatures are high, from 66 to 88 deg. Fog is reported along the northern coast of California. Conditions favor the continuance for several days of warm weather in the interior of California.

Forecasts made at San Francisco for thirty hours ended at midnight July 18:

North of California: Fair Tuesday; continued warm weather in the interior; fresh northerly winds in the valleys; brisk west-southwesterly winds on the coast.

Southern California: Fair Tuesday; continued warm weather; fresh northwesterly winds.

Arizona: Cloudy Tuesday; warmer at night.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; fresh westerly winds in the afternoon; with light winds on the coast.

The Times' Weather Record.—Observations made at 1 p.m. and midnight daily: July 17—18. 1 p.m. Midnight. 5:39 p.m. 10:51 a.m. Barometer 29.50 29.60 Thermometer 74 68 Humidity 60 85 Weather Clear Clear Maximum temperature, 24 hours 78 Minimum temperature, 24 hours 58 Tide Table.—For San Pedro: High. Low. Tuesday, July 18..... 6:04 a.m. 0:05 a.m. 5:39 p.m. 10:51 a.m. Wednesday, " 19..... 7:07 a.m. 0:55 a.m. 6:32 p.m. 11:56 a.m. Thursday, " 20..... 8:01 a.m. 1:39 a.m. 7:22 p.m. 12:55 p.m. Friday, " 21..... 8:45 a.m. 2:17 a.m. 8:25 p.m. 1:55 p.m. Saturday, " 22..... 9:31 a.m. 3:55 a.m. 8:52 p.m. 2:34 p.m. Sunday, " 23..... 10:06 a.m. 3:32 a.m. 9:37 p.m. 3:20 p.m.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

This is the open season for doves, and all Coast exchanges tell of the early and general onslaught made upon this pretty and appetizing bird. It is hoped that careless marksmen of past seasons will be careful this time and never put a loaded gun out of their hands. It would indeed be a dear bag of game to the family called upon to forfeit the life of a loved one in exchange for it. The foregoing simple rule will effectually bar accidental shooting.

The Times' Santa Monica correspondent writes: "A woman carrying a crucifix and a Madonna knelt in front of the saloon at Ocean and Utah avenues this afternoon and attracted a crowd with her prayers. She said she was praying for money to pay her passage to the Old World." This puts the matter up to the little army of men and women who regulate—or would like to regulate—our moral code, as to why did this woman go to a saloon door for charity; why not to a church door?

In Oakland they are all torn up over the case of a school teacher who is not a citizen of the United States. It is not known how such a test would affect the Los Angeles schools, but it is certain that a vigorous and effective kick would come if it were known that any man, not knowing the country enough to swear allegiance to it, was permitted to teach in its schools. School book publishers and latent sectional prejudice have so altered modern history as to make it a grave danger to intrust its teaching to one who owes allegiance to the government under consideration and not to the United States.

The center of disturbance in the garbage rumpus is changed from the habitat of gulls south of us, to the home of glanders and John P. Irish north of us, generally known as Oakland. They have garbage in Oakland and most of their people want to dump it in the open roads, while the authorities would cremate it. The concensus of opinion all over the civilized world is in favor of the authorities. Floating garbage invades pestilence and ruins all beach resorts, while decomposing garbage on the highway or byway is a menace to public health and a snap for the undertaker.

Manuel Jardine of Alameda perpetuates the claim of that town to the ownership of freaks. Like the man in the story who dares and shoud while his uninsured house burned, "because the rats would catch him," Jardine, to free his home of files, exploded a stick of giant powder. Pieces of the house are found every once in a while but the files are doing business at the old stand. It is about the proper time of year to read that the green-goods artist has milked Alameda, and that a leading citizen has purchased a gold brick. Jardine is wrapped in rags and grief.

"Who is the educated, affable and good-looking gentleman who lives in this house, sir? I am a stranger and would like to know," she said as she pulled a piece of dusty pepper bough out of her collar band, and raked dead pine needles off her costly hat. "If you are a stranger, how, pray, do you know the man is an educated gentleman?"

"Because his is the first house on the block I have been able to pass without tearing my clothing or loading it with dead matter from trees and shrubbery. I am nearly cross-eyed and wholly cross-tempered from trying to dodge these obstructions. A thoughtful gentleman will never submit ladies to such indignities, but will trim his trees as this man has."

BONNIE BRAE THIEF.
Butcher's Boy Who Robbed Custom-
ers' Houses Detected at Last.

A sneak thief who has caused considerable annoyance to residents of the Bonnie Brae tract and who has kent Officer C. L. Foster, the special patrolman of that district, guessing for several weeks, has been run to earth at last. Foster's suspicions that a butcher's delivery boy, Walter Pierce, was the culprit, have been borne out by detective work that has resulted in the arrest and confession of the youth, who has made a clean breast of his guilt.

Some weeks ago Miss Nelson, a domestic in the employ of Percy R. Wilson, Esq., at No. 1006 Westlake avenue, reported to the police the loss of an opal stickpin, which was mysteriously abstracted from a table drawer in Wilson's kitchen. On Wednesday of last week a purse containing a small sum of money belonging to Mr. Wilson's coachman, was taken from the same drawer. A few days later a purse containing \$45 disappeared from the kitchen of Mrs. Emil Newman of No. 1048 West Eighth street.

Officer Foster learned that Walter Pierce, a nineteen-year-old boy, who delivered milk for John Oser of the Boston Market, No. 1150 State Street, was in the habit of visiting the kitchens of the residences named in the course of his business. The officer also learned that Pierce had in his possession an opal pin like Miss Nelson's. Foster got possession of this pin and showed it to Pierce, who identified the pin as her property.

Returning to the city, Officer Foster apprised Pierce's employer of his supposed peculations. Mr. Oser promised to assist the officer all he could in ascertaining the young man's guilt or innocence. After a few days, Oser asked the lad to take a drive with him. He took him directly to Foster's house where Pierce, on being catechized, admitted that he had stolen the two purses and the stickpin. He said he had spent about half of the money having a good time at Santa Monica. Twenty dollars had been given to a man, Billie Welsh, to care for him, and \$2 he had loaned to other boys. Twenty dollars and fifty cents of the stolen money has been recovered by Officer Foster.

Pierce is locked up in the City Jail on the charge of petty larceny for which he will be arraigned before the Police Court today. Oser said that Officer Foster paid his own street car fare while running around hunting for the thief, as the Police Commission has not yet granted him a star which will permit him to ride free on the street cars while in the discharge of his official duties, the same as other officers.

AMBASSADOR WHITE REPLIES.

Says the Peace Conference Will Be fruitful in Results.

Last Tuesday the board of directors of the National Educational Association adopted a resolution requesting the president of the association to send the following telegram of congratulation to the American delegation to the Peace Conference at The Hague, on behalf of the association:

"Andrew D. White, chairman of American delegation to Peace Conference, The Hague, Holland: The National Educational Association, in convention assembled, tenders American delegation hearty congratulations on success which you attended here, and extends in behalf of principle of arbitration."

The message was sent, and yesterday morning the following response was received:

"THE HAGUE, July 16.
J. Oram Lyte, president, Education Association, Los Angeles, Cal.: Your telegram we send cordial greetings and thanks. Conference will amply justify all reasonable expectations by presenting to the nations a practical scheme for arbitration and mediation, and effective extension of Red Cross principles, more humane amendments of the law of war."

"You must do your part by educating coming generations to develop and perfect our work."

[Signed] "ANDREW D. WHITE,
President.
FREDERICK W. HOLTZ,
Secretary."

Died From Lockjaw.

Harry Harpin, the hackman whose left hand was injured on the Fourth of July by an exploding torpedo, and who was stricken with lockjaw a few days ago as the result of his injuries, died at the County Hospital last night. The remains were removed to Breses Bros., from where the funeral will probably be held tomorrow under the auspices of the Maccabees, of which order deceased was a member. He leaves a widow at No. 717 Clara street.

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Fox Discharged.

The City Council yesterday adopted the final ordinance calling the special election at which a vote will be taken on the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$2,090,000 for the purpose of acquiring a municipal water system. The vote by which the ordinance was adopted was unanimous. The bonds are to run forty years, and are to bear interest at the rate of 3% per cent. per annum, the interest being payable semi-annually. One-fourth of the entire amount of the bond issue is to be paid each year. The election will be held August 23, the day following the special school-bond election. The ordinance is one of the most important that has been passed by any Council in this city.

At the suggestion of the City Attorney the Council has continued the hearing of all protests against pending street and alley openings for sixty days, hoping in the mean time to be able to secure a decision on the subject by the Supreme Court, which will indicate what the proceedings for street openings must be. The attorney gave the Council the option between abandoning the proceedings and continuing the hearings, and the latter course was adopted, thus tying up considerable property until September 1.

J. A. McEvoy has been appointed permanent keeper of the City Hospital, but his salary has not yet been fixed by the Council.

The irrigators residing in the southern part of the city appealed to the Council yesterday for relief from what they consider improper disposal of zanja water, and a general waste of water of the river, which may need to have the Zanja Committee

Fruit-dealers and produce men who use the public market have filed a protest against the manner in which that building is given over to permanent tenants, and have asked for a number of changes in the interior of the building. They allege that a number of dealers cannot find room there when there should be room for all.

The annual estimate of the street department has been filed with the City Auditor. The expense of that department this year is expected to be something over \$105,000, which does not include the cost of street-sweeping, for which an additional appropriation is expected.

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[AT THE CITY HALL.]
BOND ELECTION CALLED.

COUNCIL'S FINAL ACT TO SECURE FUNDS FOR WATERWORKS.

Low Rate of Interest Fixed—Street Opening Proceedings Held Up Pending a Judicial Decision—Irrigators Make Strong Charges, Street Department Estimate.

Anticipating the consideration of much important business at the regular meeting of the Council yesterday, all the members appeared long before the time for the opening of the morning session. The several committees proceeded to complete their reports and the morning session began promptly on time. The City Auditor reported as to the condition of the funds, the collections by the several city departments and also as to the filing of certain demands against the police pension fund. The reports were filed and the demands were approved. The belated annual report of ex-City Engineer Dockweiler, due eight months ago, but filed only a few days ago, was referred to the Finance Committee. The annual estimate of the Board of Education was referred to the City Auditor.

STREET OPENINGS.
Ever since the recent decision of Judge Shaw in an alley-opening proceeding, street and alley opening proceedings in the Courts have been at a standstill. In order that some action might be taken either to proceed with several proposed openings or to abandon all proceedings pending a decision by the Supreme Court, the matter was referred to the City Attorney for an opinion as to what the Council can do. His opinion, which is of interest to hundreds of property-owners, follows:

"With reference to protest by Morgan Oyster Company et al., Mary A. Hotchkiss, L. N. Breed et al., John D. Bicknell et al., and A. Well et al., against the opening and widening of various streets and alleys in the city of Los Angeles, referred to me, I would say in regard to the street-opening act of 1889, under which these proceedings are had, provides:

"All objections shall be in writing and filed with the clerk of the City Council, who shall, at the next meeting after the day fixed in the notice, to show cause, lay the said objections, if any, before the court for hearing the same of which the clerk shall notify the objectors in the same manner as objectors to the original resolution of intention at the time set, or at such other time as the hearing may be adjourned to, the City Council shall hear such objections and pass upon the same. You will note that the objectors are within the power of the Council to postpone the hearing to some future date. In the case of Byrne vs. Drain et al., Judge Shaw of the Superior Court held

that the street-opening act of 1889, under which these proceedings were conducted, was inoperative in the city of Los Angeles, being superseded by the city charter provisions on the same subject.

"Steps are now being taken to appeal to the Supreme Court from that decision. A decision of that court cannot be had under any circumstances short of three months, if that long. It remains, therefore, purely a question of policy on the part of the Council, whether it will abandon these proceedings altogether or await a decision of the Supreme Court. In the mean time postponing action on the objections filed. If the proceedings are abandoned, the question of paying the expenses already incurred will have to be postponed.

POSTPONED SIXTY DAYS.

Action on this part of the City Attorney's report was deferred until the afternoon session, when the several protests referred to in it were set for hearing on the part of the objectors. These protests are against the opening of an alley in the block bounded by Main, Third, Fourth and Spring streets; the widening of Central avenue between Thalia and Eighth streets; the opening of Grand avenue between Temple and California streets; the opening of the portion of Kohler street between Ninth and Twelfth streets. The Council had its choice between the abandonment of the several proceedings and the postponement of the hearing of the protestants. It chose the latter course, and continued the hearings until Monday, September 18, at 2 p.m., when another continuance will probably be ordered.

WATER-BOND ORDINANCE.

The City Attorney submitted to the Council the final ordinance calling the special water-bond election. Before the ordinance was read Mr. Tol asked what rate of interest was provided for the bond issue. The answer was 3% per annum.

He suggested that it was 4 per cent.

"The credit of the city of Los Angeles is such," said he, "that there is no doubt about our ability to dispose of bonds at 3% per cent. To sell such a block of bonds as this at that rate would look exceedingly well for the city, and would be to the interest of the financial experts of the world. We would perhaps not secure the same amount as premium, but in the forty years, the life of the bonds, we would more than make up the difference in premium by making an annual saving of one-fourth of 1 per cent."

He thereupon moved that the rate of interest be made 3% per cent, instead of 4 per cent, and the motion carried. After some delay the estimates and plans of the City Engineer for the construction of a waterworks system were adopted by the Council, the estimated cost being \$2,090,000. The ordinance was then read and a number of questions as to its provisions were asked. Councilman Pessell asked very important ones. He wanted to know whether, in the event of a willingness by the water company to sell the Crystal Springs property for what a new waterworks would cost, the city could divert the money intended for headworks construction to the payment for the Crystal Springs company. City Attorney Haas, to whom the question was put, said there was a doubt as to whether the money voted for headworks construction could be used for any other purpose, but if the water company indicated a desire to sell the property at any time before the actual sale of the bonds, the proceedings could be so changed as to make that purchase possible.

Mr. Pessell then asked whether, in the event of a decision of the courts adverse to the arbitration and decreeing that arbitration invalid, the City could use the money voted for the purpose of paying the award to construct an entirely new system. The City Attorney replied that while it is not probable that the money could be used for any other purpose except that for which it is voted, that need not deter the Council from acting. If the award of the board of arbitration was held to be invalid by the courts, the city could pay the amount awarded on account, and then secure possession of the waterworks system, pending a final determination of the value of the "improvements" mentioned in the contract. There are two ways of settling such a determination of value. One is by arbitration, and the other is to apply to the courts and have a jury fix the value of the system. In the opinion of the City Attorney, the money voted would not be unused, but would be used for the sale of the bonds, the proceedings would be so changed as to make that purchase possible.

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[AT THE COURTHOUSE.]
VANGORDER DISCHARGED.

JUDGE TRASK GRANTS A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS.

Justice James's Interpretation of the Law, However, Upheld in Every Particular—Attachment Proceedings Again Under Way.

Judge Trask of Department Four of the Superior Court, yesterday granted the application of Arthur G. Van Gorder for a writ of habeas corpus, and ordered his discharge from the custody of the Sheriff, to which he had been committed for contempt of court by Justice William P. James of the Township Court. In a lengthy opinion delivered on the subject, Judge Trask, however, fully sustained the interpretation of the law as made by Justice James in relation to the case of Compton vs. Hitchcock and Van Gorder. Van Gorder obtained his release by a technicality.

Justice James had held that when his predecessor, Justice Young, attempted to set aside the judgment against Van Gorder, three months after the same had been entered by default, that he acted without jurisdiction, and that his act was void. Judge Trask sustains Justice James in his position as to the law, and says, as Justice James suggested to Van Gorder and his attorney several months ago, that Van Gorder should have the right to file an action in the Superior Court to set aside the judgment, instead of relying upon a motion made so long after the judgment had been entered.

This disposes of the only real contention in the case, and confirms all the acts of the Justice with reference to the execution of the original judgment. Shumway had told Superintendent Drain of the report before he filed it, but of course the latter had not handled it, as it was a matter between himself and the City Auditor. The Councilmen wanted the report referred to a committee, and others desired other reference of it, the difference in opinion causing a long debate. The

Street Superintendent suggested that instead of being referred to him directly, it should be referred to the street sprinkling contractor. It was decided to refer the matter to Mr. Drain in order that he may, if he desires, approve his subordinate's report or present another report to the City Auditor.

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was to have the management. Upon such glittering prospects he alleged he had no time to leave Griffith without any salary except such sums as Griffith could from time to time spare him.

Before accepting Griffith's terms, Bird said he undertook to tell him about the trouble he had had at San Diego prior to coming to Los Angeles. He said Griffith stopped him, saying he had investigated the matter to his own satisfaction, and come to the conclusion that Bird was all right.

Bird was determined that if Griffith would not listen to him about his former imprisonment for embezzlement, the jury should. Therefore, he told the court last week, while working for a lumber company in San Diego, he over-drew his account \$675. He had charged this against himself, and when he saw he could not pay it back at once he spoke to the manager about it. He was censured for it, of course, but had no idea of being prosecuted criminally until he was arrested on a charge of embezzlement which, being fully advised by a lawyer, he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to State's prison for one year. In just sixty-eight days, through the intervention of friends who believed him innocent, he was pardoned.

After having unb burdened himself as to this affair, Bird explained the nature of his work for Griffith's employ and of his manner of keeping accounts.

During the course of his examination of the witness, Counsel Dillon opened the door wide for the bringing out of facts in cross-examination that the defense would not allow the prosecution to introduce in direct testimony. The defendant, whether intentionally or otherwise, was compelled to acknowledge that will not help his case any with the jury. At one point, in answer to a question as to what he did with the money that came into his possession, he said he spent \$200 a month on his family, and used \$125 a month for his personal expenses. It was known that Bird was a high-liver, but the figures even of his intimates were beyond the estimates even of his intimates.

Direct examination of the star witness was still in progress when court adjourned at 5 o'clock.

BRIEFS.

MISCELLANEOUS Legal and Other Items.

COMPLAINT IN FORECLOSURE. Robert Bruce Williamson yesterday filed a complaint against Seymour J. Milliken, Jennie B. Milliken and others for the foreclosure of a mortgage on personal and real property, given by Mr. and Mrs. Milliken in security of a promissory note for \$5000, bearing interest at 11 per cent. per annum from February 25, 1899. The interest was to be paid quarterly, and if not so paid, plaintiff was to have the right to begin foreclosure proceedings at any time after default. It is an action of debt of the first priority interest taken in the amount of \$25 last that the action is brought. The property involved is the Mt. Pleasant Hotel on Boyle Heights, together with its furnishings. J. W. Hellman, T. B. Sage and others are made parties to the suit on account of their having some interest or claim upon the premises.

PETITION FOR GUARDIANSHIP. Millard Fillmore has filed a petition in the Superior Court, applying for the guardianship of Frank Loney, Gladis House, Elliott House, Millard Elyar Fillmore, Frank A. Smith and Frank Brooks, minors, who are beneficiaries under the will of the late D. F. House of Pomona. To each of the children named House bequeathed \$50 in cash, and to Frank Brooks his gold watch and chain, in addition to the \$50.

WILL FOR PROBATE. Clara E. Fisher has filed her probate of the late Frederick Fisher, who died at Moneta, Cal., June 22, leaving property in this city valued at \$3000.

SUIT ON A NOTE. Jeff Hunsaker filed a complaint in the Superior Court against B. B. Marlow and William Beattie, for judgment on a promissory note for \$300, executed at Long Beach February 28, 1898, and payable in one year from date, with interest at 10 per cent.

NEW LITHOGRAPH COMPANY. Articles of incorporation of the Western Lithograph Company were filed yesterday with the County Clerk. The capital stock is \$15,000, of which \$10,000 has been actually subscribed, the sum of \$2000 being credited to each of the following incorporators, all of whom are residents of Los Angeles: A. W. Dill, W. J. G. Clegg, Harry G. Zell, August C. Mays, Anton E. Seppeler. The object of the corporation is to do a general lithographing, book-binding, printing and box-making business in Los Angeles.

OIL INCORPORATION. The Fuller-on Crude Oil Company filed articles of incorporation with the County Clerk yesterday. The capital stock is stated at \$100,000, of which \$500 has been actually subscribed, for as follows: Maurice Phipps, C. A. Welte, W. L. Vane, and W. W. Parsons; E. H. Greenendyke, \$100 each. Its objects are to do a general business in dealing and developing oil-bearing lands. All the incorporators are residents of Los Angeles, which is to be the company's principal place of business.

LAW AND MOTION DAY. Yesterday being law and motion day in the Superior Court, most of the Judges were engaged in hearing motions, passing on demurrers, etc., in cases on their calendars. Little of interest developed during any of these proceedings.

TEMPORARY ALIMONY. In Department Three of the Superior Court yesterday Judge York ordered George French to pay his wife, Alberta French, \$2.50 per week alimony during the pendency of her action for divorce. French is an employee of Simon Mader at \$30 per month. His wife earns \$16 per month as a waitress in a restaurant.

HELD TO ANSWER. Santos Capistrano, the Mexican youth who on the night of July 13, 1898, into the Southern Pacific depot at San Gabriel, stole \$60, was held to answer for burglary in \$1000 bail, by Justice James yesterday. Capistrano having confessed his guilt and showed the officers where he buried the money, which has been recovered, is expected to plead guilty in the Superior Court in the hope of receiving a light sentence. Santos will be arraigned in the Superior Court at 10 o'clock this morning. George L. Saunders, Esq., has been appointed by the court to defend him.

WOULD-BE MOTHER-IN-LAW. Mrs. Roberts, mother of the girl who wants to marry the Chinaman, Wong Jim Fook, who has been held to answer to the Superior Court on the charge of rape, called on "Cupid" Kutz again yesterday, to demand of him why he refused to give a license to the odd-mated couple. Mr. Kutz replied as before, that the statutes forbid the marriage of whites to Mongolians. Mrs. Roberts declared that her daughter's Chinese lover was not a Mongolian. She left the Courthouse vowing she would not let the Chinaman stand against the marriage. Hence clerk to compel him to allow the wedding to take place.

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Events in Society.

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Mrs. Grace Henderson Mathewson of Lovelace avenue entertained last evening in honor of Mme. Geneva Johnstone-Bishop. An informal programme of music and recitation was followed by refreshments. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Plater, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pettigrew, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Baumgardt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Travers, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Newhall, Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Larabee, Misses Ella Ballard Hanna, Wheeler; Misses Anna Virginia Metcalf, M. F. Willis, Nora Story, Jane Perley, E. Louis Clarke, Charles Franklin, Edwin Clark, Herbert Clark, Guy Hill, G. A. Dobinson, Drs. Merrill E. Gates, W. LeMoine Wills.

A luncheon was given yesterday at the Jonathan Club by Byron Erkenbrecher in honor of Gov. O. N. Murphy of Arizona, who is here for a few days. Among those present were Hon. O. N. Murphy, F. K. Rule, M. P. Snyder, W. G. Blewett, G. J. Griffith, F. B. Silverwood, T. E. Gibson, J. Ross Clark, Frank Thomas and C. A. Sumner.

The members of the Arkansas delegation to the N.E.A. were entertained at Dutch supper last Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Reardon on North Flower street. Those present were Prof. and Mrs. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie, Miss Cora Sheber, Miss Willard and Miss Bird Henderson of Hot Springs and Miss Gertrude McKinley of Sedalia, Mo.

Rev. W. A. Warner, formerly presiding elder of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, and Miss Jane Goodall of this city, were married July 15. Rev. J. M. Schaefer of the Pico Heights Congregational Church officiated. For weeks the Rev. and Mrs. Warner will start for Cape Palau Liberia, to engage in missionary work among the natives.

A festive banquet was tendered J. Cohn, prior to his departure for Europe to visit his family in Germany, and make an extended journey around the globe. The banquet was given at the Maison Dorée. The table, in the form of a large horseshoe, was decorated with Redondo carnations and streamers of smilax. White satin place cards and menus were at each place. Alexander Brownstein presided as toastmaster, and during the dinner Dr. Brownstein and Eugen Roth rendered several musical numbers. Those present besides the guest of honor were Messrs. Max Isaacs, Louie Isaacs, Dan Brownstein, Alex Brownstein, Abe Samuelson, H. Harris and Eugene Roth.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered little Louise Thomas at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. L. Dreyfuss, of No. 206 North Hope street, Saturday afternoon. Twenty-five little people were present.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. Dan McFarland has taken a cottage at Redondo for the summer. Miss McFarland and Miss Louise McFarland will entertain a house party for the tennis tournament Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinton W. Shock and family of suburban Los Angeles are getting along indefinitely and are located at No. 921 South Olive street with Miss H. Edith Parese, sister of Mrs. Shock.

Miss Rachael Weeks, one of the members of the D.J.X. Sorority, left Saturday night for San Francisco, where she will remain the future.

W. D. Moore is spending a vacation of ten days at Catalina.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Akerman of San Diego are in the city for a visit.

Miss Besse Rankin and Miss Emma Hatfield of Louisville, Ky., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ludwick of 2249 South Grand avenue.

The mother and sister of George Kantowitz left for Catalina yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin R. Pitner removed to their new residence, No. 81 West Thirty-eighth street. Mrs. Pitner will be at home Tuesdays.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Nolan of St. Louis and Mrs. Fannie Brown of Arkansas have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Alford, No. 1413 Central Avenue. Mrs. Nolan will remain a short time for her health.

H. B. Baker and family returned to their home in Massachusetts Saturday after spending the past year and a half in Los Angeles.

Miss Stella Kay celebrated her birthday at her home, No. 1532 Shatto street, last Thursday evening.

Miss Clara Young has gone to New York to spend her vacation.

Mrs. R. Israel from St. Louis, Mo., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. S. Maas of No. 328 Beaudry avenue.

Charles N. Rix, president of the Arkansas National Bank of Hot Springs, Ark., accompanied by his wife and daughter, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. B. Thomas of No. 1924 Union avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sweet and Dr. Earl Sweet have changed their residence from No. 1053 Burlington avenue to No. 757 Burlington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Connell and their daughter of Court street, have gone to Catalina for the remainder of the summer.

Dr. C. O. Truscott and mother of Cline, III., are visiting his brother, F. G. Truscott of No. 1509 West Twelfth street.

Mrs. W. J. Washburn entertained

W. J. Harris, Miss Harris, Mrs. Williamson, Howie of New York, Miss Nellie Hutchinson, Miss Howell of Fresno, Miss Timmons of Charleston, S. C., with a drive about the city and luncheon last Friday.

The Misses Goldie, Cecilia and Esther Norton and Master Ben Norton are delighted at Santa Monica for a fortnight.

Mrs. C. I. Moody of Boston, Mass., is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Cummings, No. 410 Westlake avenue.

Mrs. H. C. Fisher, with her children, and her nieces, Miss Helen Bushnell, left last week for Catalina, where they will spend the season.

Miss Carrie Blanchard is visiting friends in San Francisco.

The wife and children of Maj. Ren-

Next Saturday

This great sale comes to a close. We will by that time have accomplished our object. We will make prices during the next five days that will simply annihilate all competition and cause the greatest sensation of the year.

Men's Pants.

Men's Hair Line Cassimere Pants.

Well made and proper styles; worth \$2.00 and \$2.50 a pair.

Sale Price \$1.45

Men's All Wool (guaranteed) Pants.

Cut in late style, well finished, were cheap at regular price, \$2.25.

Sale Price \$1.32

Men's Corduroy Pants.

The celebrated Louisville Ox breeches, sold close at \$2 a pair.

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Men's Hair Line Cassimere Pants.

Well made, stylish cut, regular price, \$2.75 pair.

Sale Price \$1.58

50c Boys' Knee Pants, now \$1.95 pair.

75c Boys' Knee Pants, now \$3.80 pair.

Boys' Bib Overalls, now \$1.95 pair.

Men's Furnishings

Men's plain Balbriggan Underwear, worth 85c, at per garment.

Men's Suits

Absolutely the best suits ever offered at the price—All as represented.

Men's Single-breasted all-wool Cheviot Suits

Well made and finished with piped seams and French facings—Regular price \$8.75.

Sale Price \$4.35

Men's fancy checked Worsted Suits

Single-breasted Sack Suits, round or square cut, suits sold regularly at \$9.25.

Now Cut To \$4.75

Men's fine Velour Suits.

Round cut, excellent linings, these in stylish brown mixtures, regular \$10 value.

Now Cut To \$5.10

Men's fine novelty Cassimere Suits

In beautiful neat checks, piped seams, regular \$11.65 value.

Now Cut To \$7.75

Men's all-wool Clay Worsted Suits

Made by Sterns, of Rochester, New York—in gray, black and tan—fast colors, satin facings, regular price \$13.50.

Sale Price \$8.15

Men's double-breasted Serge Suits

Fine tailored, fast color, equal to the best custom work, sold all over town as bargains at \$15.00.

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Patients can arrange to pay after they are entirely well or may pay in weekly or monthly installments.

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PASADENA.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND. Many Eastern Teachers Visit the Isthmus-Personals.

DEATH OF A. A. LIBBY, A FAMOUS CHICAGO PACKER.

House Known All Over the World. Bicycle Shop of L. Southwick Attached—Bullock's of Address Before Board of Trade on Water Resources.

PASADENA. July 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] A. A. Libby, a Chicago millionaire with a home here, died tonight, the second Chicago-Pasadena capitalist to pass away within a week. Mr. Libby was the founder and head of the famous packing-house of Libby, McNeil & Libby, known all over the world. He had been in feeble health for a long time, and had died at 7 o'clock this evening at his fine residence on No. 25 Orange Grove avenue, was not unexpected. His wife died here about three months ago.

Mr. Libby was 8 years of age. He was born in Marin County, and passed the earlier part of his life in Portland. He went to Chicago in 1854, when the meat-packing business had hardly been born. He saw great opportunities in it, and became a patent process for tanning meat, which was a great success, and was the foundation of a still imminent fortune. His brother and Mr. McNeil, a Chicago capitalist, became associated with him, and built up one of the greatest business corporations in Chicago, with branch houses in all parts of the globe. Their agencies are as well known in the world today as in any country. They sell timber, meat, flour, and arms of Europe. The potencies of the world have been their customers. If Mr. Libby could relate his story of his business life it would read like a romance.

It was overwork that broke Mr. Libby down six years ago. Then he came to Pasadena, where he has lived a retired life ever since. He never left town, and was always accompanied by an attendant. He thought he might rally, but he gradually faded away. Although he did not go to any business, he remained the most popular man in Los Angeles to this day. His brother and Mr. McNeil both have withdrawn, very rich, but the concern retains the original name, and with offices in Chicago, St. Louis, and New York.

In the full command of his power, Mr. Libby was one of the giants of Chicago, the peer of Phil Armour. He died with a big auger. He was tall and brilliant in his schemes, fertile in means, resourceful, and died of self to death. He has a great circle of acquaintances, and they say that if his health had been spared he would have been a power in the world. He showed armor hunting to some degree. His Chicago operations employed over two thousand men.

Six children survive. Mr. Libby three living in Chicago, two in Pasadena. His body will be taken for burial to Chicago, where he had a mansion in Michigan avenue.

BICYCLE SHOP ATTACHED.

Constable Wm. H. Dobbins attests the stock of L. Southwick, bicycle dealer in North Pasadena, today. Mr. Southwick has had no financial troubles of late, and this time, in a suit for \$38 brought by G. A. Winner, grocer, the simple ten per cent interest of the whole box and dime. Mr. Southwick's bill of lading by law was exempt. Then an interesting legal question came up. He proposed to take the best wheel in the shop, and the other to be sold, after which he could so elect. The rumpus ended in Southwick being arrested for resisting an officer. He was brought before Justice Merriam, who decided to let him go, as he had been guilty of obstruction of justice. The court then adjourned for setting up as the Supreme Court, and telling the officer what he would or wouldn't do. The defendant told the court that he would satisfy the plaintiff by making over a cow to him.

PALATIAL CAMPING OUTFIT.

City Trustee H. M. Dobbins has one of the most ingenious and luxurious camping wagons in use in this section, and has recently given some of his Los Angeles friends an opportunity to test it. His supply of sources. He bought a retired United States mail chariot with a canvas top, strengthened it, had it repainted, and made it over into a combination of a Pullman car and flying machine, with a decided cast toward the latter when the proprietor is steering it over a mountain grade behind a pair of horses.

Mr. Dobbins has made many experiments, and has added one comfort-making device after another, bettering and enlarging his outfit. The latest addition is a water tank, which by law was exempt. Then an interesting legal question came up. He proposed to take the best wheel in the shop, and the other to be sold, after which he could so elect. The rumpus ended in Southwick being arrested for resisting an officer. He was brought before Justice Merriam, who decided to let him go, as he had been guilty of obstruction of justice. The court then adjourned for setting up as the Supreme Court, and telling the officer what he would or wouldn't do. The defendant told the court that he would satisfy the plaintiff by making over a cow to him.

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POMONA.

Short Hours for Bankers—Business at the Cannery.

POMONA, July 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] As a result of a recent meeting of local bank officials, it is announced that on Saturdays after August 1 the banks of Pomona will close at 12 m.

Visitors at La Jolla were delighted yesterday by the appearance of a large school of sulphur whiting. There are also numerous rock fish around the caves and are attracting much attention.

The moon train from Los Angeles had on four extra coaches, bringing down over three hundred excursionists.

CORONADO BEACH.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, July 16.—[Regular Correspondence.] Saturday night's hop was the gayest one held at the hotel for months and the crowds which thronged the ballroom and corridors presented a very festive appearance. Over a hundred guests came in on Saturday, and Sunday's moon train.

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

Four Thousand Inches of Water Used by Riverside.

RIVERSIDE, July 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] It is estimated that not less than 40,000 inches of water will be used in Riverside today. The Riverside Water Company delivered 2500 inches to irrigators, and at least fifteen hundred inches were flowing in the Gage Canal, the domestic system of the water company and the companies on the East Side. This is a good story for a hot day in the middle of summer, in an exceptionally dry year.

JUDGMENTS FOR GAGE.

Three judgments have been rendered by Judge Noyes in the cases of William Gage vs. J. and Mary Gunther, O. H. Newman and others. H. E. Frazier, water-tower, declared the plaintiff to be the absent owner of the section of land on the east side of the river that has so long been involved in litigation, and ordering that a writ of resolution issue, placing Gage in possession.

RIVERSIDE ENTITLES.

Otto Martin has been appointed School Trustee of East Vale district.

The Southern Pacific excursion today brought in fifty-eight N.E.A. people.

A demand was made for a jury trial in the case of John George, who was last week committed to the Highland Asylum by Judge Noyes. The trial is set for tomorrow.

PASADENA BREVIETES.

Moorman Delbridge, who was injured in the police station Saturday night, has a badly sprained knee, is swollen to twice its normal size, and gives him great pain. His physician says the injury will keep him off longer than if it had been a break. Mrs. P. R. Parker, of North Marenco avenue, will leave on Tuesday's overland to spend several months with her daughter in Batavia, N. Y.

Col. Dunham of La Cañada is developing a fine supply of water from springs in the mountains just above the Gould castle.

T. W. Parks, North Marenco avenue, is suffering from the effects of a severe surgical operation.

The remains of the late Lincoln S. Livermore, may be viewed Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock at the parlors of Adams & Turner.

Remember that McCamey's is the only place to get a drink of soda that just suits you.

Baths at Howland's, Pasadena.

Triple Murderer not Killed.

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PLUCKING THE OSTRICHES.

Several ostriches will be plucked at the farm on Tuesday afternoon.

Weak Men may have our

weakness—appliance and remedies—on trial and approval.

If not grand success, return all at our expense.

Both men and women are under 25 years of age.

Gwynn was refused a permit for habeas corpus in the Superior Court, and held in \$200 bond to await arrest by Massachusetts officers with a reprimand.

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POLICE COURT.

A Juvenile Harness Thief Doesn't Know How It Happened.

Donald McDonald, a gawky lad of 18, was fined \$75 yesterday by Justice Morgan for stealing a set of harness valued at \$5 from Mrs. Mary Leiman. When asked if he had anything to say in his own defense, the boy carefully examined the spots on his hat and said no. He couldn't explain how he happened to turn aside from the narrow path, so after a little lecture Justice Morgan imposed a heavy fine, which was immediately paid by the boy's brother.

All kinds plain machine composition at 30 cents per thousand ems, standard measure, at Times job office.

Lowest prices, Mexican drawn work, opals, carved leather. Field & Cole, 349 Spring.

Fine cabinet photos reduced to \$1 and \$1.75 dozen. Sunbeam, 236 S. Main.

Money to loan, no delay. "Protective Savings," 161 North Broadway.

Fruit—Go to 401 South Spring, corner Fourth. Best place in city.

Souvenirs at Winkler's, 316 S. Bdwy.

Furs repaired, D. Bonoff, 247 S. Bdwy.

Plate and 100 cards, \$1. at Foster's.

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The Times business office is open all night, and liners, death notices, etc., will be received up to 1:30 a.m. Small display announcements may be sent up to that hour, but large display ads. cannot be attractively set if brought in later than 8:30 p.m. Telephones Main 23.

Ben White, the real estate broker, left last night for San Francisco. T. M. Killian will have full charge of his business during his absence.

Chautauqua Assembly opened at Long Beach; hear Frank Beard, the temperance orator, this afternoon and tonight.

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Orestes Orr was admitted to practice in the United States Circuit Court yesterday, on motion of United States Attorney Flint.

The Columbia Club is to be incorporated, and a meeting to complete the organization has been called for next Saturday evening.

A lady's black purse, containing cards, private papers, and a small amount of money, was picked up on the street yesterday. The owner can recover her property by calling at the detective's room at the Police Station.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph Company's office for D. K. Morgan, Mr. L. B. Williams, R. F. Porter, W. K. Hammond, Lake, Mary Gillette, Ransome E. Walker, Mrs. C. N. Peck, Bert F. Case, W. H. Burnham, W. S. Jones, Miss Mamie Moake and Mrs. Agnes B. Kitchen.

The cases of five Chinamen alleged to be the authors of the violation of the Chinese Exclusion Act are still occupying the attention of the United States District Court, and the trial may consume another day or two. Some of the Celestials are setting up a vigorous defense on the ground of alienated American nativity.

Chief Office Deputy Christian of the United States Marshals Service, has gone to San Diego after Tom Yung, who will be brought here and held until Thursday, when he and Wong Hang, another Chinaman, will be taken to San Francisco for deportation by the United States Marshal.

FELICITE SET FREE.

Not Guilty of Battering a Chinese Caller.

After untangling some conflicting testimony in pieces, English, French and Spanish, Justice Morgan yesterday decided that Felicite Pals was not guilty of assaulting Chong Wong. Chong Wong was ordered to appear for sentence this afternoon for carrying concealed weapons.

The tale which was told in the testimony was that the Chinaman went to call upon the Mexican woman and became too possessive and domineering. She hit him under the eye, and he grabbed her and prepared, she says, to use a knife and a pistol upon her. A policeman came in time to settle the dispute. On complaint from the Chinaman, he arrested the woman. Later he complained to the court, out by the woman, charging the Chinaman with having carried various concealed weapons in his coat pockets and scarf.

RUN DOWN BY A CAR.

A Bicyclist Forced to Make a Desperate Choice.

Jacob Kaplan, a Van Nuys bellboy, was run down by an electric car on Second street near Center Place at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, knocked from his bicycle, and seriously injured. When Dr. Hagan examined the injuries at the Receiving Hospital it was found that the boy's left arm was broken, his right wrist sprained, a knee badly scraped, and various other wounds inflicted.

The bicyclist explained that he was forced to choose between riding directly in front of a car and running into a horse. He decided that a fender was more to be trusted than the hoofs of a horse, and chose the trolley car.

Police Business.

That the burglar's pathway is not all thorns is proven by the fact that 51 doors were found unfastened by the police sergeants during the month of June. This is recorded in the regular monthly statistical report of the police department, completed yesterday by Police Secretary Cottle. During June there were 356 arrests, and of these cases 277 resulted in convictions, six in holdings to answer, and one in dismissals. Six are still pending. Of the 36 arrests, 10 were for intoxication, and 107 for disturbance of the peace. The detectives recovered stolen property of an estimated value of \$734. The jail served 388 meals, and 258 days' work were performed by the chain gang prisoners. The police stations attended to 72 cases, and 49 destitute persons were given a night's lodging. During the month \$873 was taken in fines by the police courts.

A Sandy Man Disappears.

Tom Brown of Sandy, Ariz., has disappeared, and the police are trying to find his whereabouts, at the instance of W. E. Frost of Kingman, Ariz. Brown is a man of 48, very dark, and he looks somewhat like a Mexican, though he is a German and speaks with a marked German accent. He has a sandy mustache. He is 5 feet 6 inches tall, heavy-set, and has the general appearance of a rancher. He is a married man and has lived at Sandy for sixteen years. J. E. Perry of Los Angeles is interesting himself in the search for the missing man.

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Cold Cream, collapsible tubes.....

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Benzoin and Lime Juice Jelly, tube.....

Creme.....

Guaranteed Toothbrush.....

Lister's Antiseptic Tooth Paste.....

Lola Montez Cream.....

Bath Oil, Glycerine and Balsom.....

Bath Sponge.....

Whisk Broom.....

Cascara, Cordial, mildly laxative.....

Hemps, Face Powder, box.....

Insect Powder, lb.....

Flea Chaser.....

Root Beer Tablets, bottle.....

Good Bath Soaps.....

Toilet paper, 10c package.....

Package Stickling Plaster.....

Package Cotton, Red Cross 10c package.....

Box Carbolic Soaps for cuts.....

Bath Caps, pure gum, water tight.....

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